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To: fox@fox.cs.vt.edu, Brewster@wais.com (Brewster Kahle)

From: Barbara@wais.com (Barbara Lincoln Brooks)

Subject: Re: copyright problems?

Cc: barbara

To give an update, I spoke with Diane Cerra yesterday afternoon. I have sent her a revised copyright form, which retains the copyright of the paper with Brewster, but gives non-exclusive rights to publish, print, and distribute the paper to John Wiley.. I had to mail it, rather than fax it. She will try to get it through at John Wiley & Sons, and get back to us.

At 4:27 PM 4/1/93 -0800, Barbara Lincoln Brooks wrote:

>It is true that I have been working with Lois Lunin on this. She was going  
>away, and said she would call me this week (haven't heard from her  
>though)...

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>We were working on the copyright agreement when we last talked, and she had  
>questions to ask on her side. Basically, it would say: "Brewster Kahle  
>transfers to John Wiley & Sons, Inc. the non-exclusive right to print,  
>publish, sell and license the manuscript. Brewster Kahle retains all other  
>rights in the manuscript"

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>I thought we were moving forward, so I'm not sure why there is a fire now...

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>I'll call Lois and Diane tomorrow.

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>At 1:22 PM 4/1/93 -0800, Brewster Kahle wrote:

>>At 5:44 PM 3/29/93 -0500, fox@fox.cs.vt.edu wrote:

>>>Brewster,

>>> I am afraid we have some confusion.

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>>Ed,

>>

>>Sigh. I hope I can help. sorry this has been hard.

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>>> Lois Lunin, who has

>>>been working with JASIS on special sections for a long time,

>>>has been in touch with your Barbara Brooks. According to

>>>Barbara, the paper you sent to JASIS has been sent to lots

>>>of places, and there is no record of what journals it may

>>>have appeared in. Is that true?

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>>We have sent it to people when they request it from the bibliography. No

>>one has republished it. I think it is free and clear.

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>>> We do know that it did appear in the ASIS Midyear meeting

>>>last year.

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>>I don't know if it made it into the proceedings but that was the intent.

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>>>If that is the ONLY place it has been published,

>>>I think we can work out things.

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>>it is the only place it has been published (as far as I know).

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>>> But if it has appeared

>>>elsewhere too, unless you can tell us where, it seems

>>>unlikely that Wiley will be able to publish. In any case  
>>>you will need to sign some type of copyright release form  
>>>for Wiley, and according to Barbara, have been unwilling to  
>>>do that.  
>>> So, please  
>>> \* tell me where else it appeared if it did  
>>It has not appeared anywhere else.  
>>  
>>> \* help us draw up some form for Wiley that  
>>> you will be willing to sign, by working  
>>> with me or directly with the Wiley person,  
>>> Diane Cerra, 212/850-6660.  
>>> If the only place it appeared is in the  
>>> ASIS meeting proceedings, then ASIS retains  
>>> the copyright on that and would be willing to  
>>> allow Wiley to print, I am sure. Actually,  
>>> ASIS may not have had you sign a form in which  
>>> case we may need a statement from you and ASIS  
>>> to explain this for Wiley to accept it.  
>>  
>>Basically, we want to be able to distribute the paper for promotional or  
>>whatever use. We also put it up on the net. With other publishers we have  
>>agreed that it has cited that it appeared in their journal or book or  
>>whatever.  
>>  
>>>I am sorry this is so complicated, and hope you can work  
>>>with us. If it seems too complicated, how about a new  
>>>paper that has not appeared, or some major changes / additions  
>>>to the paper submitted, to bring it up-to-date, to be supplied  
>>>very soon?  
>>  
>>Thank you for bearing with this one. We dont have anything new on WAIS,  
>>and since we are making this company go, it is unlikely to happen soon.  
>>  
>>I think it is a good paper by good authors.  
>>  
>>-brewster  
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>>>I look forward to your help on this, and will be happy to chat  
>>>if that can speed up things. Thanks! Regards, Ed Fox  
>>>----- Forwarded Message  
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>>>Date: Wed, 24 Mar 93 16:07:12 PST  
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>>>To: fox@fox.cs.vt.edu (Edward A. Fox)  
>>>From: Brewster@wais.com (Brewster Kahle)  
>>>Subject: Re: JASIS paper  
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>>>At 11:32 AM 3/18/93 -0500, Edward A. Fox wrote:  
>>>>Brewster,  
>>>> I have heard from Lois re the JASIS paper problems.  
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>>>>what problem?  
>>>> Please, please,  
>>>>do try to work out something. If all else fails, can you revise  
>>>>the paper to make it something specific for this issue and not  
>>>>appearing elsewhere?  
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>>>>You are the journal for ASIS, the paper was given at an ASIS conference. I  
>>>>dont understand what the problem is.  
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>>>>We live in a twilight world, of transition,  
>>>>and the American Society for Information Science and its journal  
>>>>are a very good place to reach many people who do not know about  
>>>>WAIS, and should.  
>>>> I encourage you to try to work this out. Thanks, Ed  
>>>  
>>>Yes, ASIS is a good organization, that is why we did the paper for that  
>>>organization.  
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>>>let me know what I can do to help.  
>>>  
>>>- brewster  
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>>>----- End of Forwarded Message